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## Amendments to the Specification

of Amendment A

At specification page 1/8, before the paragraph beginning with "[t]his is a nationalization of," insert the following heading:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

At specification page 1/8, before the paragraph beginning with "[t]he present invention relates to," insert the following headings:

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

## 1. Field of Invention

At specification page 1/8, before the paragraph beginning with "[p]rocesses of such type," insert the following heading:

## 2. Description of the Prior Art

At specification page 1/8, replace the paragraph beginning with "[i]n modern extrusion plants" with the following replacement paragraph:

In modern extrusion plants, these processes usually comprise the following process steps[[,]] which are also specified in the preamble of the main claim 1:

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